

CHARITON COURIER

C. P. VANDIVER, EDITOR.

KEYTESVILLE, MISSOURI

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce
J. W. TAYLOR

as a candidate for School Commissioner of Chariton County, subject to the annual school election to be held Tuesday, April 4, 1905.

We are authorized to announce

W. S. DRAKE

as a candidate for County School Commissioner, subject to the annual school election to be held Tuesday, April 4, 1905.

We are authorized to announce

THOS. TULLY

as a candidate for Collector of Keytesville Township, subject to the Township election to be held Tuesday, March 28, 1905.

We are authorized to announce

T. E. R. EWING

as a candidate for Clerk and Ex-Officio Assessor of Keytesville Township, subject to the Township election to be held Tuesday, March 28, 1905.

We are authorized to announce

A. D. HURT

as a candidate for Trustee of Keytesville Township, subject to the Township election to be held Tuesday, March 28, 1905.

We are authorized to announce

R. H. TISDALE, JR.

as a candidate for City Marshal of Keytesville subject to the City election Tuesday, April 4, 1905.

We are authorized to announce

J. C. PHILLIPS

as a candidate for Constable of Keytesville Township, subject to the Township election Tuesday, March 28, 1905.

We are authorized to announce

W. M. JARED

as a candidate for Justice of the Peace and member of the Township Board of Keytesville Township, subject to the Township election Tuesday, March 28, 1905.

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H. A. WHEELER

as a candidate for Justice of the Peace and member of the Township Board of Keytesville Township, subject to the Township election Tuesday, March 28, 1905.

DR. OSLER says a man is useless after 40, but it is the age at which some women are fairest, fairest and most effective. What chit of 20 and 5 could have done the work of Mrs. Chadwick?

THE New York court has decided that Hanna Elias shall keep the \$800,000 she received from John R. Platt. Hanna is rather better in financial transactions than Mrs. Cassie Chadwick.

As Oklahoma and Indian Territory are to have a curtailment of their "liquid privileges" they are going to try to make up for it by giving everybody the right to practice law. There is nothing like evening things up.

A BOY has been arrested in Washington for stealing books from a department store. Copies of Shakespeare, Byron and Burns have been found on him and he says it was the only way he could get books to read.

SENATOR CLARK of Montana, who expects always to get something for his money, even if it is nothing more than a vote in the state legislature, was much annoyed because a penny gum machine in New York would not work. By careful calculation he spent \$2.90 in time in getting one cent's worth of gum, but he got it.

THE placing of the statue of Frances Willard in Statuary hall in Washington is approved by the great majority of citizens who have taken any interest in the matter. It is right and worthy that a woman who had done as much and so selflessly for the good of mankind should be remembered in this way, but it is a deplorable fact that the statue as a work of art is one of the poorest that stands in the hall.

At the last inauguration the Roosevelt children were farmed out among the relatives and friends of the family in Washington. This year, by reason of the remodeling and extension of the White house, they were all kept with the president and Mrs. Roosevelt in the White house. The remodeling of the mansion and the addition of the president's office, of which one senator remarked that the only good thing about it was that it was not fireproof, may not suit the fancy of many people, but it at least has the advantage of giving room for a large family.

THERE is another revolution in Venezuela. Only the war editor can tell where one begins and the other leaves off.

FROM the published pictures of 17 of John Hoch's 31 wives it is evident that he married for "love" and not for beauty.

THE joke now is on the United States which was the loudest in making fun of the French for their slowness in digging the Panama canal.

A CHICAGO man with an income of \$15,000 has set the pace for spouse pin money allowance. With reckless prodigality he pays his wife \$700 a month.

OKLAHOMA and Indian Territory should get a little slow in giving Standard oil "one" in the solar plexus. Mr. Rockefeller may refuse to admit them to statehood.

THE South which was the only section opposed to President Roosevelt in the election had the largest representation in the parade at the inauguration, while the Middle and Far West which gave the largest majorities for him were scarcely represented at all.

KANSAS has voted down the woman's suffrage law. Politics in Colorado didn't seem to have undergone the purification that the injection of the feminine vote promised, and Kansas, being a near neighbor, decided to defer the enfranchisement of women for awhile.

For Sale Cheap.

Six hundred and forty acres of choice wheat land in Ellis county, Kas.; 550 acres under cultivation, and the balance all tillable with the exception of, possibly, five acres. This land is situated in the very best wheat section of Kansas, within four miles of Ellie, a division point on the main line of the U. P. railroad, and one of the best towns in this section of the state. I can furnish easy terms if desired; six per cent interest on deferred payments of four years. Having once lived in Chariton county I am fairly familiar with the present conditions there in regard to real estate, and I can assure you that parties there in quest of land, either as an investment or for a home, can do no better than to investigate this proposition, as the land was taken on a debt and will likely sell in a very short time at considerably less than it is worth. For particulars address,

E. L. JACO,
Bunker Hill, Kas.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Probate Pointers.

Dr. Isaiah Knott, Jr., allowed an account of \$44 against estate of H. C. Hyde.

Est. John Wootton: G. T. Lunday, executor, presents inventory and appraisal, which are examined and approved.

Est. John Knappenberger, M. A. Knappenberger, executor, presents receipts showing payment in full of amounts due heirs on final distribution, and executor is discharged.

Est. Jas. M. Turner: M. W. Anderson, administrator, files final settlement, which is examined and continued, for publication of notice of final settlement, till next term of this court.

The COURIER family was kindly remembered by a generous supply of nice, fresh country sausage by some good Samaritan last Friday. If there is anything we like better than sausage it is more sausage.

Annual settlements of estates approved as follows: Geo. Schultz, Henry Hayes, guardian and curator, eighth; Geo. W. Jones, C. H. Jones, guardian and curator, fourth; heirs Lucy

Laker, Henry Laker, guardian and curator, first.

Est. Nathan Long: On motion of Eliza H. Long, widow of Nathan Long, deceased, it is ordered that Geo. P. Long be and is appointed administrator of said Nathan Long's estate. Bond in the sum of \$1,750 approved with W. A. Wilkinson, A. F. Semple and A. L. Shoop as securities.

Est. Frances Clark: Annie E. Clark, administratrix, presents proof of publication of notice of final settlement, which is examined and approved, and said settlement showing balance of \$105.75 due estate, it is ordered that said balance be retained by said administratrix as her absolute allowance as widow of said Frances Clark, and it is further ordered that said administratrix be discharged.

Est. P. M. Bell: Eliza D. Bell, administratrix, presents her second annual settlement which is examined and approved, and it appearing therefrom and from the records of this court that the personal assets of said P. M. Bell's estate are insufficient to pay debts due by said estate, this court, on its own motion, orders that administratrix sell, at public or private sale for cash, all or so much of the nw ne 19-47-31, and n hf nw 19-47-31, belonging to said estate in Jackson county, Mo., as may be necessary to pay said debts, land to be first appraised and administratrix to report at the next regular term of this court after sale is made.

Death's Decree.

TRENDLE:—Mrs. J. W. Trindle of near Eccles died of meningitis following pneumonia Tuesday, March 7, 1905. Mrs. Trindle was formerly Miss Ada Cox, and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cox and was born and reared five or six miles south of Keytesville. She leaves a husband and six children to mourn her death. Her remains were deposited in Asbury cemetery Wednesday after a short burial service by Rev. Robt. Melloy of Keytesville.

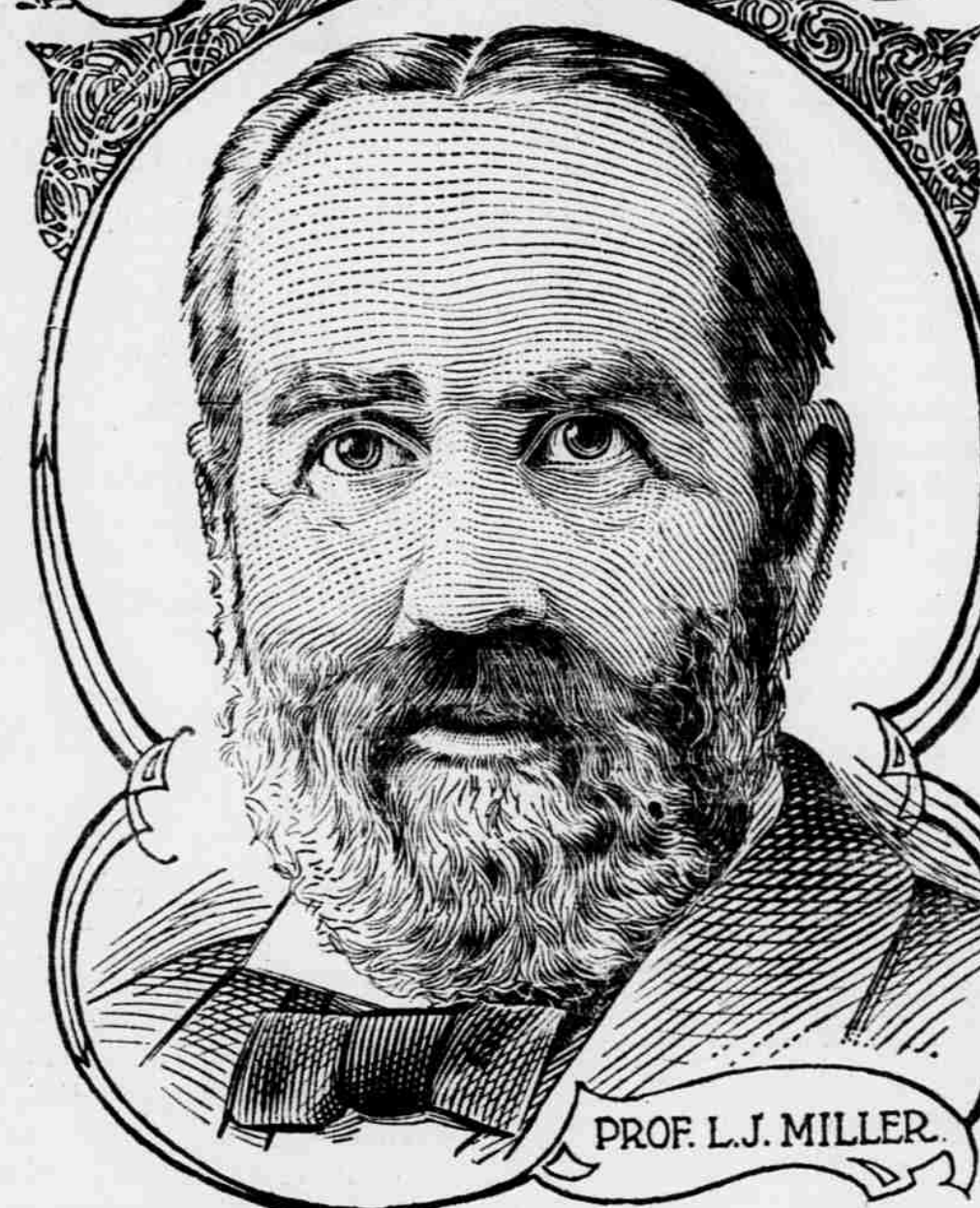
HURT:—Mrs. Leta Hurt, nee McFarland, beloved wife of Guy Hurt of near Shannondale, died Tuesday, March 6, 1905, after an illness of five years with stomach trouble. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McFarland of four miles southeast of Keytesville, and was born October 9, 1877, and was, therefore, aged 27 years, 4 months and 27 days at the time of her death. She was married to Guy Hurt October 23, 1895. She united with the M. E. church, South, about six years ago, and while a great sufferer from her physical ailments she bore them with much fortitude, yet was willing to depart as death had no terrors for her. Funeral services were conducted at Asbury chapel Wednesday by Rev. Robt. Melloy and were followed by interment in the beautiful Asbury cemetery. We drop the sympathetic tear with the young husband and relatives and friends in their dark hour of grief.

MCCAMPBELL:—Mrs. R. S. McCampbell of Glasgow died Friday, March 3, 1905, at 8:55 o'clock a. m. after an illness of two years of cancer of the liver, aged 66 years, 9 months and 20 days. Mrs. McCampbell's maiden name was Miss Mary W. Huss and she was born in Shelby county, Ky., May 13, 1838, and eloped to Indiana in 1853 where she and R. S. McCampbell, also a native of Kentucky, were married. Later they came to Chariton county and made their home in the vicinity of Rothville for a long time, but moved to Glasgow 15 years ago. Four children were born to them

CHEMICAL ANALYSIS

Reveals That "Pe-ru-na is Calculated to Tone up the System, Restore the Functions and Procure Health."

SO SAYS PROF. L. J. MILLER, CHEMIST.



PROF. L. J. MILLER.

Prof. L. J. Miller, late Professor of Chemistry and Botany of the High School of Ypsilanti, Mich., writes from 3827 N. Clark Street, Chicago, Ill., as follows: "As several of my friends have spoken to me of the favorable results obtained through the use of Peruna, especially in cases of catarrh, I examined it most thoroughly to learn its contents.

"I found it composed of extracts of herbs and barks of most valuable medicinal qualities combined with other ingredients, delicately balanced, calculated to tone up the system, restore the functions and procure health.

"I consider Peruna one of the most skillfully and scientifically prepared medicines, which the public can use with safety and success."—PROF. L. J. MILLER.

two of whom, W. L. McCampbell, a prominent farmer and stockman of near Rothville, and Mrs. W. R. Million of Boonville, with their aged father, survive. Mrs. McCampbell was a faithful and zealous member of the C. P. church, having been converted at old Locke church, near Westville, in 1864. She was as sheaf, fully ripe, for her blessed Master and He has taken her unto Himself. Funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. William Frost Bishop, at the family residence in Glasgow Saturday, March 4, at 3 o'clock p. m., after which the remains were tenderly laid to rest in Washington cemetery at Glasgow. The COURIER condoles with the aged husband and children in the loss of their devoted companion and best earthly friend.

EWING:—Sterling Price Ewing, perhaps the longest time continuous resident of Chariton county, died at the residence of Mrs. M. Hansman in Keytesville the afternoon of March 3, 1905, after a very short illness of neuralgia of the heart. He was born in Keytesville March 13, 1835, and with the exception of three or four years spent at Richmond, Mo., during his young manhood, lived in Keytesville and vicinity until his death. He was married in 1853 to Miss Catherine Wright, an estimable young lady of Richmond, Mo. Of this union 10 children were born, two of whom died in infancy, and two others, Bertheia and Caples, in early manhood. Mrs. W. A. Hurt of Kansas City, Robert, Sterling, T. E. R., Mrs. E. E. Elliott of Keytesville and Mrs. G. M. Vandevle of Chicago remain. Mrs. Ewing died in 1877, and Mr. Ewing was again married to Miss Emma Price in 1879. One son was born of the second marriage, Rev. Price Ewing, a minister of the Baptist church,

serving churches of that denomination at Dover and Harveyville, Kas. All of the children attended the funeral except Mrs. Hurt, who was sick. Mr. Ewing was converted and united with the M. E. church, South, in 1854 in which he had since held membership. He was a man of more than ordinary intelligence, was a Bible student and thoroughly acquainted with the doctrines of the church of his choice. Especially during the last years of his life was he devoted to his Master's service. He was a regular attendant at the prayer-meeting, the Sunday-school and the preaching service and his lamp was trimmed and burning when the final summons came. The new Methodist church, not being ready for occupancy, his remains were taken to the Baptist church Sunday afternoon where Rev. Robt. Melloy, his pastor, conducted an interesting service in the presence of a large audience of sorrowing friends and relatives, after which interment was had in the Keytesville cemetery by the side of his first wife, there to rest until the sound of Gabriel's trump which shall bid the dead arise. Our sympathies are tendered to the bereaved children, and we hope that they will all strive to emulate their father's worthy example.

O. B. Anderson, Messrs. Cunningham & Cropper and Chas. Zook of Keytesville and A. F. Tooley of Brunswick left on the Santa Fe railroad three weeks since for Purcell, Chickasaw nation, I. T., on a prospecting tour. After spending 14 days visiting different points they found land to their liking in Paul's valley on the Wichita river. They purchased 140 acres within one mile of the town of Paul's Valley and 250 acres on Ruch creek.

"Builds up the System." Hon. Joseph H. Ridgeway, Secretary of the American Anti-Treat Society, writes the following letter from the Grand Central Hotel, St. Paul, Minn.:

"It is with great pleasure that I endorse Peruna as an honest medicine, competent to do all it claims. I have used it several times and know of nothing that cures so completely, and at the same time builds up the system.

"I have recommended it to a number of my friends and always feel that I do them a service for I know how satisfactory the results invariably are. I only wish every family had a bottle—it would save much sickness and doctor bills."—Joseph H. Ridgeway.



Joseph Ridgeway.

"Feel Better Than for Five Years." Mr. James B. Taylor, Roberts, Ind., writes:

"I am at the present time entirely well. I can eat anything I ever could. I took five bottles of Peruna, and feel better now than I have for five years. I have doctored with other doctors off and on for fifteen years, so I can recommend your medicine very highly for stomach troubles. I take great pleasure in thanking you for your free advice and Peruna."—James B. Taylor.

"I Enjoy my Meals as I Used to." Mr. J. W. Pritchard, Wolf Lake, Ind., writes:

"I am pleased to say that I have been cured of catarrh of the stomach by Peruna. I could hardly eat anything that agreed with me. Before I would get half through my meal my stomach would fill with gas causing me much distress and unpleasant feelings for an hour or two after each meal. But, thanks to your Peruna, I am now completely cured, and can eat anything I want to without any of the distressing symptoms. I can now enjoy my meals as I used to do, and it is all due to Dr. Hartman and his wonderful medicine, Peruna.

"It has been one year since I was cured, and I am all O. K. yet, so I know I am cured."—J. W. Pritchard.

Dyspepsia is a very common phase of summer catarrh. A remedy that will cure catarrh of one location will cure it anywhere. Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. That it is a prompt and permanent cure for catarrh of the stomach the above letters testify.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

They report the land in Paul's valley as being the richest they ever saw, the price of which ranges from \$20 to \$60 an acre. At Paul's Valley they met a subscriber to the COURIER in the person of Kit Couch, who is a nephew to Mr. Anderson, whom they report as doing well—in fact, is getting rich. Since leaving Chariton county, four years ago, Kit has had the good fortune to marry a Missouri girl whose maiden name they never learned. They were so charmed with the good qualities and intrinsic worth of the lady they never thought to ask her former name. These gentlemen returned Sunday night, and express themselves as being wonderfully pleased with the country they visited. One of them will return to the territory the third Tuesday in March to look after their interests.

Roll of Honor.

We tip our best hat to the following friends who have either become new subscribers or have renewed their subscription to the COURIER during the past two weeks. May heaven bless 'em:

NEW SUBSCRIBERS.

Fred Barber, Geo. D. Hands, F. A. Fox, D. B. Hunt, W. G. Borum, W. M. Gibson, S. A. Bishop, Wayne Harris, Wm. P. Erhardt, Mrs. John L. Carter, M. W. Heuchan, P. S. Gordon, Jr., Miss Nora Hodges, Miss Beatrice Wilks, Spencer Long, col.

RENEWALS.

J. K. Smith, J. A. Gallet, E. J. Tschann, J. F. Kussmann, E. D. Kuhler, C. C. Koch, Adolph App, Lee Graven, Wm. Reuling, Walter Meyer, F. F. Evans, W. H. Lee, Jas. H. Spence, C. J. Woodson, T. V. Phelps, Wm. Tader, John Martin, W. P. Price, D. Iglehart, A. D. Hurt, Jr., J. A. Jary, Miss Ada Elliott, J. M. Glenn, Geo. Foster, Mrs. J. J. McFarland, A. J. Baker, Phillip Sargent, Henry Gottschalk, Maurice L. Fulcher, O. P. Ray, Geo. M. Dewey, J. O. Vance, C. W. Singleton, S. F. Trammel, T. F. White, E. R. Harding, J. T. Coleman, C. B. Woodson, E. M. Carter, Geo. Tietiana, W. S. Waggoner, W. H. Latham, I. S. Woodward, B. J. Johnson, Henry G. Dally.